

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	Docket No: <b>Q87625</b>
<b>Takehiro MIWA et al</b>	Conf. No.: <b>9927</b>
Appln. No.: <b>10/532,605</b>	Group Art Unit: <b>1651</b>
Filed: <b>August 18, 2005</b>	Examiner: <b>Ariani, Kade</b>
For: <b>METHOD FOR DIGESTING PROTEINS HIGHLY RESISTANT TO DENATURATION AND DEGRADATION</b>	

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c)**

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Sir:

In connection with the filing of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) herewith,  
and in response to the Office Action dated December 2, 2008, please amend the above-identified  
application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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